

2017 Coal Education Application Question & Answers

March 23, 2017

Q: What is the minimum and maximum that one may request under the Coal Education 2017 Grant Program?

A: Pursuant to KRS 132.020(5) a portion of the funding from the un-mined minerals tax collected each year shall be credited to the Department for Energy Development and Independence, Energy and Environment Cabinet (the Cabinet), for the purpose of public education of coal-related issues. There is no minimum or maximum that one may request. Organizations are encouraged to apply for the amount of funding that it will take to accomplish the project that is submitted in the application.

March 24, 2017

Q: In the budget justification worksheet, line item J. Cost Share/Match Funding, there doesn't seem to be a separate worksheet for this to be itemized? Also on page 4 of the manual, bottom of page calls for commitment or support letters from key participants. Would this be the same as we have submitted in the past for cost share? To include a dollar amount for volunteer time?

A: There is no separate worksheet for line item J. Cost Share/Match Funding because Cost Share/Match Funding is not a requirement. The requirement for the commitment or support letters is for the scoring criteria under the Qualifications, Experience, Capabilities (25 points).